

LOS ANGELES

FIGHTING GOES ON.

Castro's Men Lose a Victory.

**Two Hundred and Fifty
Soldiers Slain.**

Three Towns Occupied by the Active Insurgents.

Chief of Battalion Revolts Trouble Grows in Central States—Atrocities.

PORT OF SPAIN (Trinidad), Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The details have been received of hero fighting last week on the mainland near Buitria and Carupano, resulting in

Carupano has been recaptured by the insurgents, and a large quantity of arms and ammunition taken. Irapa and Guiria, ports on the Gulf of Paria, were also occupied, despite the activity of the gunboats patrolling the coast.

The cause of the mutiny is said to have been an order issued by President Castro that certain prominent names

The trouble in the Central State seems to be growing, although censorship prevents the details from being sent. It is reported that the rebel

The chief fighting on the mainland took place near Iragua. Nine

They were under the command of Gen. Juliana Pedro Costa and Jaunelbe Colaisca.

the rebels opened fire on the government forces, and the latter charged the intrenchments. They were driven back several times, but continued the attack for five hours.

position of the rebels, and finally the retreated, carrying most of their supplies. They had eight killed and four wounded, but the government forces are said to have lost 250 killed and wounded in the fight. Eleven women

The town was abandoned by the rebels during the night, and entered by 800 regulars the next morning. The insurgents retreated to Irapa, and after resting, marched into Guirica to obtain reinforcements. They were fo

Charges that many atrocities were committed in Los Cuervos and Irapa by the government troops are made by persons who fled here. It is declared

through the streets, frightening men and women by threats of putting them to the sword, compelling them to pay large sums in order to save their lives.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—A special
the Herald from Washington says:
"Mr. Pulido, the Venezuelan chargé
d'affaires, received advices by mail
several days ago announcing that
successful condition of affairs."

The Venezuelan gunboat *Augusto* took several British subjects, is contested by Great Britain, and that the question of which nation the island belongs to has never been settled.

the representations which the British government will make to Venezuela. Great Britain, if she insists on a sovereignty over the island, can declare the act of the gunboat an act of war, and demand instant reparation.

Y.M.C.A. CONVENTION.
STOCKTON, Jan. 25.—The twentieth annual State convention of the Y.M.

was a regular service this forenoon at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church, and this afternoon, Rev. Fred B. Smith addressed a large gathering of men only on "Social Impurity." There were platform services in the

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The Junketers Back With Ideas on Institutions.

JUNKETERS RETURN WITH RECOMMENDATIONS.
SAN QUENTIN PRISON ACCOUNTS NOT PROPERLY KEPT.

Agrees Asylum to Have Appropriation It Desires—Dull Week in View. Paris Scandal Investigation to Make the Interest for a Time.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As it is not probable that the Legislature will adjourn over Saturday this session, unless the last time is made up by holding night sessions, almost every member who could get away spent Saturday and today in San Francisco. Most of the absentees returned tonight, and some of the committees also returned. The Assembly as a result of its visit there the committee will recommend nearly all that has been asked for that institution. The Assembly Committee on Hospitals, etc., will leave here next Friday for Highland and will remain there over Sunday.

The Senate Committee on Prisons returned today from an official visit to San Quentin. Although this trip was made for the purpose of inspecting the prison, the recent scandal there gave it added importance. The members profess the manner in which the committee system in which the accounts are kept, the recent scandal there gave it added importance. The members profess the manner in which the committee system in which the accounts are kept, the recent scandal there gave it added importance.

With so many members of both houses away on tours of inspection, the coming week promises to be one of the duller of the session. Few bills will reach their third reading, but the committee will advance the second reading as rapidly as possible. What of excitement is lacking in the session proper will probably be made up in the performances of that legislative show, the Paris commission investigation.

SAVE THE REDWOODS FROM DESTRUCTION.

THE LOBBY AT SACRAMENTO HAS A LAUDABLE PURPOSE.

Assemblyman Milne as a reformer, busybody and his wife going to Paris scandal investigation—Highland Methods of Wheelmen.

(SOUTH AFRICA.)
FIGHT FOR FREEDOM AS BEST THEY CAN.

THE BOERS STILL HARASS THE BRITISH FORCES.

Lord Kitchener Reports Numerous Engagements of Late, in Which the Number of Killed and Wounded is Only Known on the One Side.

(THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)
LONDON, January 27.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The War Office has received from the commander-in-chief in South Africa a dispatch dated Pretoria, January 26, reporting numerous engagements, the following being the most important:

"Cunliffe was engaged at Midlandton and Koppfontein yesterday with Delarey's force. Babington, moving north from Ventersdorp, threatened the enemy's flank, whereupon the Boers retired west. Cunliffe's casualties were two officers and twenty men killed and thirty-nine wounded.

"In the engagement at Lichtenburg, January 17, some twenty were captured. These have since been released, with the exception of a major and three men. No details are yet at hand.

"Smith-Dorrien had a successful engagement of five hours while on the march from Woorfontein to Carletonville, where the Boers had lately been concentrating. The enemy were in considerable strength and held the river, but were killed and two officers and thirteen men wounded.

OLD CRIME TRACED HOME.

Arrest of Frank Hyatt for Murder.

Texas Man Found in Sacramento.

Lulu Howard's Third Effort at Suicide—Mrs. Howell's Missing Jewels.

(BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—[Chief of Police Sullivan and Policeman George Maier arrested Frank Hyatt, this evening, for the murder of Steve Presley, committed in El Dorado county, July 7, 1899.

When he was arrested, Hyatt was in a full confession, claiming self-defense. He has been residing in this city for the past nine years, and was employed in the railroad yards under the name of Charles Eaves. He has a wife and stepson. If his signed confession, he claims that it was his intention to return to Texas next year and stand trial for the killing.

He says the quarrel between himself and Presley, who was the stepfather of his former wife, occurred over some building material. Presley picked up a large stone to throw at him; he struck at Presley with a club to make him drop the stone, and the latter, in dodging, was struck on the head and died.

Hyatt claims that he feared he would not get a square trial, as all witnesses were relatives of Presley, so he fled.

NORTHERN PACIFIC CUT-OFF.
WEAT REPAIRING TIDE WATER.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
TACOMA (Wash.), Jan. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To save four hours' time between St. Paul and Tacoma, the Northern Pacific Railroad will this year spend \$2,000,000 on the construction of the Lind-Elliott cut-off in Idaho.

The cut-off will shorten the main line about ninety miles, avoiding the present long southward detour between Spokane and Ellensburg.

Detailed specifications of the cut-off construction work have been placed in the contractors' hands, and contracts will be let soon. The cut-off is in the heart of the Cascade tunnel. It is stated, the light is on for the fastest transcontinental train schedule between St. Paul and Tacoma.

KNOCKED HIS BENEFACTOR.
CHARLES DAVIS WANTED GOLD.
(BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)
PHOENIX (Ariz.), Jan. 27.—An attempt to murder a well-known miner for a motive took place here Friday night. Charles Davis, a nineteen-year-old colored boy, borrowed his money from James McLaughlin, who had befriended him. In handing him the money McLaughlin exposed a pile of gold coins, which the boy saw.

He excused himself from the room, returning a few minutes later with a four diamond ring, containing eight diamonds and one turquoise in all, a gold watch and two gold chains and a gold pocket watch.

LOST CLOTHES AND GEMS.
PHOENIX (Ariz.), Jan. 27.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Diamond earrings and jewelry value at thousands of dollars have not been found by S. R. Howell, husband of Henrietta E. Howell, and their disappearance about the time of Mrs. Howell's arrest for insanity remains to be explained.

When she was brought to the Receiving Hospital she carried a watch with four diamonds and one turquoise in all, a gold watch and two gold chains and a gold pocket watch.

BURGLARS ON A RAMPAPE.
RAILROAD SAFES BLOWN UP.
(BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)
SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 27.—Early this morning the safes at Aptos and Capitola stations were blown up with powder. At Aptos \$140 was taken, and at Capitola \$100. The burglars never looked for the money drawer at Capitola.

PERSONALS.
C. W. Noyes and wife of Boston are stopping at the Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.
J. R. Nichols and wife of St. Paul are at the Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

[Somerville Journal.] When a man has more money than brains he is pretty sure to get acquainted before long with the law. As a result, things in time are equalized.

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ARIZONA ITEMS.

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Favors to Bestow.*

California wines, Southern California Wine Company, \$18.
One dozen photographs, "steel-engraving" effect, F. G. Schumacher, \$15.
Photographs to order, by Marceau, \$10.
Large oval French bevel-plate mirror, H. Raphael & Co., \$50.

CLASS TWO.
 Forty-three cash prizes, ranging from \$100 down to \$10, and 39 grand prizes of \$50, one of \$25, and 39 under prizes—one of \$20, one of \$15, one of \$10, and 21 below \$100.
 Five acres of choice orange land at Bloomington, \$750.
 Scholarship at Pomona College, \$100.
 Automobile car, E. F. Bostyback, \$55.
 Automobile car, Broadway Department Store, \$35.
 Photos, Marceau, \$10.
 Automobile car, E. F. Bostyback, \$10.
 B. Schumacher, \$12.
 California wine, Southern California Wine Company, \$10.
 No 2 Eastman folding pocket kodak.
 Deeds.
 Accident insurance policy, Fidelity Mutual Aid Association, \$25.
 Miscellaneous prizes and more to come.

CLASS THREE.

\$100 down to \$5—one of \$100, one of \$75, one of \$50, one of \$25, and 22 under \$25.
Eighteen Columbia oil-stock prizes—one of \$200, one of \$150, one of \$100 and

City lot in University district, \$600.
Round-trip ticket from Los Angeles
to San Francisco and a week's board
at the Palace Hotel for two people,
estimated at \$150.
Fifty-dollar outfit for gentleman's
suit, overcoat, hat and various articles
in the line of "furnishings"—Hubb
Clothing Company, \$50.
Photographs to order at Marceau's,
\$10.
Half-dozen carbon photos, F. G.
Schumacher, \$10.
California wine, Southern California

Accident insurance policy, Fidelity Mutual Aid Association, \$25.
Scholarship, Los Angeles Business College, \$50.
Fifty-two prizes and more to come.

CLASS FOUR.

Forty-six cash prizes, ranging from \$100 down to \$5—one of \$100, one of \$75, one of \$50, one of \$40, and 42 under \$40.

Thirty Columbia oil-stock prizes—one of \$200, one of \$150, one of \$100, and 27 below \$100.

Two lots at Redondo, \$500.

Round-trip from Los Angeles to Catalina.

people, for two people, estimated at \$150.

Scholarship, Los Angeles Business College, \$50.

Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, R. B. Moorehouse, 349 S. Spring St., \$75.

Fine split-bamboo fishing rod and complete outfit, Tufts-Lyon Arms Company, \$25.

Dozen platinotype photos, F. G. Schumacher, \$8.

1 photos to amount of \$10, at Mercantile.

Company, \$5.
Thistle bicycle, Burke Bros., \$50.
Eighty-five prizes and more to come.

CLASS FIVE.

Thirty-three cash prizes, ranging from \$50 down to \$5—one of \$50, one of \$40, one of \$30, one of \$20, and 29 under \$20.

Twenty Columbia oil-stock prizes—one of \$100, one of \$80, one of \$60, and 17 below \$60.

Two and eight-tenths acres of land in La Cañada, \$250.

To Santa Monica and one month's board at the Arcadia Hotel, for two people estimated at \$125.
Scholarship, Los Angeles Business College, \$50.
Yale bicycle. E. R. Rieder, city agent; E. H. Crippen, distributing agent, \$50.
Fur bra. Broadway Department Store, \$15.
No. 1 Fastman folding pocket kodak. E. R. Rieder, \$10.

Photos, Marceau's, \$10.
One dozen cabinet photos, F. G. Schumacher, \$5.
Sixty-one prizes and more to come.

THE GENERAL PRIZES.

Fifty-nine cash prizes, ranging from \$750 down to \$5—one of \$750, one of \$550, one of \$150, one of \$100, and 56 below \$100.

Sixty-three Columbia oil-stock prizes—one of \$1800, one of \$500, one of \$300, one of \$200, one of \$100, and 58 below \$100.

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Cash payments by The Times of church, chancel or parlor pipe organ, to be built in Los Angeles by the Murray M. Organ Company, and to cost not less than \$3000, \$750.

Russell-Lane cabinet grand piano H. C. Gilbert Piano Company, \$450.

Planola and \$25 worth of music for it, Southern California Music Company, \$275.

Round-trip tickets from Los Angeles for two persons, and season tickets of admission to Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., estimated at

Four-passenger Del Monte Pa
wagon, Baker & Hamilton, \$100.
Columbia chainless bicycle, Columbia
Cyclery, \$75.
Lady's diamond ring, J. G. Donovan
& Co., \$75.
Standard-Grand sewing machine
Williamson Bros., \$75.
Genuine leather Turkish chair, Niles

Family compartment tent (hall and dining-room and four bedrooms) complete. J. H. Masters, \$58.50.
Gentleman's suit and overcoat, Muller, Bluet & Co., \$50.
Handsome rug, Southern California Carpet Company, \$50.
Dental work, Schiffman Dental Company, \$50.

Large POCO camera and complete outfit. F. E. Munsey & Co., \$50.
Lady's mahogany desk and chair. Los Angeles Furniture Company, \$50.
Dress-suit case. J. C. Cunningham, \$15.
One hundred and forty prizes and more to come.

Is this perfectly clear? But one person might win a prize in each of the six classes—that is six prizes. One person might win the six first prizes, worth altogether \$5000.

A competitor who could do that would be a rara avis however—a white blackbird—a jim dandy. He or she would have to get up and hustle for it.

Big results, though, do not depend on winning several prizes, or several first prizes. Any one of the major awards is enough to satisfy a pretty ambitious person.

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You may count on the distribution being strictly in accordance with the lines laid down in these columns. The Times never "flats," it stands up to its agreement every time.

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(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE
PITTSFIELD (Mass.)
[Exclusive Dispatch] The
Miss May Fosburg, who
supposedly by burglary,
August 20, in the home of
took a strangely dramatic
terday, when her husband,
Stewart Fosburg, was armed
with a revolver.

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The prisoner is a Yale taken a special course at Scientific School. The burg places not only himself, but the whole extraordinary position.

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police that no burglar
and that the girl was
family dispute. Accord-
to the grand jury ver-
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WHERE REFORM IS NEEDED.

It appears from the report of the chief sanitary officer of the Department of Cuba for December, 1900, that the total number of births recorded in Havana for the month was 1205. Of these 521 were legitimate and 684 were illegitimate. Of the legitimate, 598 were white, and 22 colored; while of the illegitimate, 379 were white and 266 were colored.

These figures strongly suggest the necessity for reform in Cuba, along some other lines than those of sanitation and the establishment of civil government. The fact that out of 977 white children born, 379 were illegitimate, and that out of 225 colored children born, only 22 were legitimate, is a most serious reflection upon the existing moral conditions in Cuba. It indicates the need of some drastic measures of reform which shall put an end to this shameful state of affairs, or which shall at least bring about a marked improvement in the conditions existing.

Although the report of Mr. Gorgas (the chief sanitary officer) covers only the city of Havana, similar conditions exist, no doubt, throughout the island, though the disparity between legitimate and illegitimate births may not be so flagrant in the provincial regions as it is in the capital city. Education will tend in some degree to build up better moral conditions, but education can hardly be depended upon, in itself, to correct the low tone of morality existing in Cuba. Laws are evidently needed for the proper punishment of offenses which, if it is to be feared, are not only tolerated but encouraged under the present regime.

It may not be possible for our government to bring about the desired reforms; it may not, indeed, be our province to attempt this task. In view of the rather delicate relations between us and the inhabitants of Cuba, but so far as Americans are called upon to act in an advisory capacity, in the framing of laws for the government of the new Cuba, they should exert all possible influence toward the enactment of suitable laws for correcting the grave abuses above referred to.

No government is secure which is not built upon the solid foundation of the home. So far as we can assist the Cubans to build upon this safe and sure foundation, we should do so.

CANAL TREATY PROSPECTS.

At first glance it seems rather far-fetched to suppose that the death of Queen Victoria would have any effect upon the Hay-Raunhofer treaty. But when we consider the situation in all its bearings, it appears probable that a decided effect, and that it may even serve to hasten the acceptance of the treaty, practically in its present form, by Great Britain. If the British government proposes any amendments, they will probably be of an unimportant nature, and such that our government can accept without cavil. This, at least, appears to be the present outlook.

As bearing directly upon this question the following, from a London dispatch to the New York Tribune, is of much significance:

"One of the indirect effects of the death of the lamented Queen is the improved state of feeling between England and America. The tributes to her memory have come from every quarter of the globe, but those from America have been unique in sympathy, appreciation and have touched the hearts of Englishmen."

The honors paid in Washington, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, and many other legislative capitals have been rightly regarded as exceptional and unprecedented, and there will be general regret if the Foreign Office finds it necessary to emphasize any point of diplomatic difference with the United States. There will be a feeling of relief and pleasure if it takes advantage of an early opportunity for bringing to a close a controversy of long standing like the canal question.

There has been a fair prospect, all along, that England would accept the treaty. That this prospect has been

materially improved through the causes mentioned above is beyond question. The King has always been extremely friendly toward America and Americans. The great weight of his influence will without much doubt be exerted in favor of the treaty, and this will very likely insure its early acceptance by his government.

The Los Angeles Councilmen have been over-reaching their authority to settle political and personal scores may learn something from the warning of the well-meaning, though unscholarly, Alderman of Detroit who, in the course of a hot debate, said: "Mr. President, I desire to call the attention of the Alderman of the Eighth to the fact that he is skating on mighty thin ice. If he is not careful he will break through and find himself in the hottest water he was ever in in his life."

"May lots of us die and remember your school in our wills," is the rather unique speech Mark Twain made to the girls of an eastern school. Reminds one of what the Irishman said to the man who pulled him from the mudhole: "I hope I may find you in the same fix some time."

Mayor Harrison should not feel badly because one of his constituents touched him up for a hundred or so. It was probably a line with the sort of a bolstering friend who whacks you between the shoulder blades and lames you for a week—merely as a mark of his regard.

The absence of any report of half-breed escapes on the part of Gov. Roosevelt in yesterday's dispatch, is good cause for appreciation that the faithful press correspondent had himself been freed by a flock of lions, bears, wolves and coyotes.

The fact of a struggle for leadership among the anti-Pop Democrats in the East is about the only evidence at hand that that class of Democrats have any faith in the reorganization of the party.

Some people will be so skeptical about the New York World's interview with Aguinaldo as to demand some evidence that the wily Filipino is alive before they will credit him with uttering language.

The weather man seems to have adopted the practice of sending us word of our rain on Sundays, thus giving those who usually labor at baseball on that day, either in the field or on the benches, a chance to rest.

Perhaps Aguinaldo will not have amnesty; but one of these days something will be handed out to him far more distasteful, and it will last him a long time.

A large number of the members of the Legislature will, it is announced, be absent from Sacramento this week. This will perhaps lessen the danger of bad legislation for the time being, at least.

The horses attached to a hearse at Roversford, Pa., ran away, smashing the hearse and nearly killing the two drivers. The man inside the vehicle is said to have been "perfectly quiet."

The tourist who came here to escape "failing weather," evidently wonders how he can get out of the city, and the big drops put us on the nose and trickle merrily down our foreheads.

Either the Cincinnati Enquirer or the Philadelphia Record has printed a spurious picture of Mrs. Nation, or else the good lady is a female Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde.

The sermon of Rev. Dr. Dwight Hill of Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, on the subject of "The Kingdom of God," but not the gospel, according to Hill.

The suspicion that Mr. Mulholland has recovered his intellectual vigor and is reveling as a correspondent with the Roosevelt party is unfounded.

Manufacturers of firearms have great reason to be grateful to Kentucky for the vast amount of free advertising they have received therefrom.

A New York man owes his escape from death to the fact that he was so fat that he stuck fast in the mouth of a well. Moral: Get fat!

Mark Twain's daughter is soon to make her debut as a singer. May she make as great a hit with the world as did her famous father.

The text of Tod Sloan's condolences and congratulations to his friend, King Edward VII, has not yet been made public.

A dispatch announces that Count Boni has won a point. Let us hope this means that he sat down upon a bent pin.

The people of Kansas elected a Governor, but Mrs. Nation is just now the chief executive of that State.

Vardi is dead; but his spirit will live as long as there are music and song upon the earth.

Mrs. Nation is apparently one of those who don't know when they are ticked.

Nowadays prize fighting would be very much like Hamlet's "Hamlet."

Services in Memorial of England's Dead Queen.

Union Services.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL was filled with an attentive congregation at the Victorian memorial services yesterday afternoon. Every seat was occupied, and many people were standing. The service was conducted by Bishop Johnson, who had extended an invitation to all British-born residents to participate.

Flags of the United States and Great Britain were conspicuously placed about the altar and pulpit. The music was by the Pro-Cathedral choir.

The sermon, by Rev. Dr. George Thomas Downing, was a masterly oration, worthy of the occasion. He chose as his theme, "The Royal Chamber of Death, and Its Lessons," finding a text in Proverbs xxi, 16, "Her price is beyond rubies." Dr. Downing said:

"Our Queen is dead! Our Queen! And when I think of the fact that I am a native American, there are some souls too big for boundary lines, some souls who are not of one race, but of two, who are not of one country, but of two, who are not of one world, but of two, who are not of one time, but of two, who are not of one place, but of two, who are not of one people, but of two, who are not of one nation, but of two, who are not of one religion, but of two, who are not of one faith, but of two, who are not of one hope, but of two, who are not of one love, but of two, who are not of one life, but of two, who are not of one death, but of two, who are not of one resurrection, but of two, who are not of one kingdom, but of two, who are not of one glory, but of two, who are not of one power, but of two, who are not of one wisdom, but of two, who are not of one knowledge, but of two, who are not of one understanding, but of two, who are not of one insight, but of two, who are not of one perception, but of two, who are not of 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Soothe away care in the bowls... Warble the air that she's... best:
Sing to her sweetly of clover... Rest in the bowers of May... Sing to the cow of the... grow
Out of the grassy dill:
Never say rancorously, "Brindle,
Dern your side-steaded... I've thought her bony tail... ear,
Sing of cow-heaven and say...
"Dear
Brindle, now list to my... you'll hear
The chords of "The Maid... Mill!"
Sing her a song when the glass...
Turns to a maniac stare,
Sing when she kicks you... pig-sty:
Sing-but dear me! do not... Somehow or other the... send:
Don't with the milking-stool... Long Roll
Over her ribs; sing a ray... Warble a vande-ville air.
Even though she gathers up... her head.
Tosses you up in the... Do not start cursing the... turn:
Do not promulgate a re... sing of the cow that jumps... To soothe the hysterical...
To soothe the hysterical...
MERE DIPLOMACY.
(Chorus) Tendency is a... ward each other!
(Chorus) That don't... thing-they're married!
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The Spanish Pretense... around saying go-go-go... Spanish throne, evidently... that of late the Spanis... has not been such a... thing to possess.
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No, Mr. Cleveland, our... "will never be the same... a distinguishing charac... country-it is always... thing better!
The inventor of the... "toilet" is dead. So, a... judging from the... "Who is Bill?" asks... an soon forgotten when...
We've heard of men try... they're skyward by the... that he remained for... man to swallow his... to death.
Bless gracious! the... fashionable thing these... Those people who pre... times for 1901 forgot... Plevins in their calculations.
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ATTENTION has been attracted to a wonderfully successful Sunday-school teachers in Los Angeles, the question asked by every other teacher is: "How does she do it?" Mrs. Ada Bryant, wife of V. C. Bryant, has a class in the First Methodist Sunday-school composed of ninety-two young women, ranging from 18 to 25 years, and instead of decreasing in numbers it is steadily growing, an even more having been added to the roll in the past three months.

"I really do not know what to do with them," said Mrs. Bryant, with an expression of deep concern. "It grows and grows, and I can't stop it. The girls just seem to love each other so much that they keep bringing their friends into the class. Some get married, but they keep right on coming." The ardent little woman seems never to dream that the teacher has anything to do with keeping them. Mrs. Bryant is a winsome personality, loving, sympathetic, impulsive. You have but to look into her face to see the ideal teacher for girls. She is as happy and bright as a woman can be, and interesting in every one of her ninety-two girls, as though they were her own daughters. Though all are young women, they are all of different ages, and invariably speaks of them as "my girls." On this phase of the subject she said:

One of our rules is that all shall be called by their first names. I have a class in the class who calls me 'Aunt Ada.' On the others have taken it up. Most of them call me 'Aunt Ada.' I call our class society the 'J.O.' and the girls have taken it up. I hold over on Boyle Heights one of our last week, and there were 150 girls in the class. We just had the class on the 15th of January. Many of the girls have been to the city, and I think it is doing great good in their lives, and that can't be gotten anywhere else, while the social part might be."

"Why then, is it not commonly so with Sunday-school classes? There must be some other reason." "Well—Mrs. Bryant."

"I wish I could have told you more about it, but the fact is that such an interest in each other that there isn't much for me to do in keeping them together. We have a class social every month, and every three months the boys are permitted to bring in their lady friends. I would feel that I had been a failure, however, if I failed each Sunday to give them something that I thought would help them in their daily lives."

"The only rule we have for entry into the class is that they must be unmarried," and Mrs. Bryant laughingly added: "They sometimes get married after they are in, and they just keep on coming."

"The secret of our class success is the strong personality of Mrs. Bryant, and her deep interest in every one of us. She just treats us as if we were her own boys," said one of the class.

"The taken as much interest in our temporal affairs as in the spiritual," said another. "Many members of the class are not Christians, but all three or four have signed the triple pledge to abstain from liquor, tobacco and gambling."

Said one, who has been out of town for three years: "I expected to be treated like a stranger when I came back, but I found that I was not forgotten by the class, and I felt just as much at home as before I went away."

"Mrs. Bryant is such a bright woman and makes everything so interesting," said still another, "that we couldn't help liking Sunday-school, but the boys are very much attached to her because she takes so much interest in their welfare, outside of the school, as well as in it."

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thoughts before giving them expression. She has no children to take her care and attention, but she occupies a position as cashier in a large grocery store, and every spare moment is given to her class.

"What is the secret of your success, Mrs. Bryant?" "Why, I don't know. I can tell you much about it. For one thing, the boys take a deep interest in each other," said President Mrs. Bryant. "They keep themselves together by means of committees."

"But that is all, how does it come that all classes are not held together the same way?" "Well, I don't know. They are all very much attached to each other, and make a great point of being social. Many of them live in rooming-houses, and have not the joys and comforts of family life. On Sunday morning the class has a committee at the entrance to greet every member of the class as she comes in the door. When any girl is sick I go to see him, and when one is absent a few Sundays I write to him, and the class committee goes to see what is wrong."

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The charmingest of mohair brocades. We have considered them cheap all the season at 85c. 65c is less than you could have purchased them from the mill for in December. Splendidly good, honest quality mohairs; neat little designs; good weight; nice width. A beautiful black dress for a very little money.

Silks at 65c

It is true the lot is not so large as last week, but the variety is almost as great and the values are princely. The very best qualities in American novelty taffeta silks. You have never bought better at \$1.00 and \$1.25 the yard. Almost any combination of color you can think of and a great variety of styles. 65c the yard as long as this lot lasts.

Tailor Suitings.

The genuine imported English goods. Heretofore \$4.00 to \$5.50 the yard. The price this morning is \$2.50. Why? Because there is too many pieces too near alike. It is a chance to reduce the stock and do business with less money and not hurt the assortment. English worsteds, English sayings, English chevrons and English casementers. In invaluable stripes, in mixtures, dainty broken checks, invariable plaids, blue and gray mixtures, broken plaids and broken checks. Some were \$4.00; others \$4.50 and others \$5.50 the yard. Any of them this morning at \$2.50.

Black Crepons \$1.50.

Noses of them worth less than \$2.00 and many of them worth up to \$2.75 the yard. Seldom less than 4 yards in any one piece and seldom over 10. They are what the black goods man calls mean lengths—that is the reason he puts the small price on them. You don't have to take the whole piece. Buy what you want; \$1.50 the yard.

Children's Shirts.

White cambric and muslin undershirts for girls from 2 to 14 years. All made umbrella style; beautifully trimmed with embroidery, tucking, fancy insertions and lace. As dainty and pretty as anything in the way of girl's apparel can possibly be. Prices have been from 60c to \$1.50 the shirt. In order to lead interest in the undergarment sale we have made a horizontal reduction on these. Prices are now from 45c to \$1.25 the shirt.

Every careful mother will find our infant's and children's department a wonderfully interesting and money-saving place to visit. Beautiful new lines of infant's long dresses and children's short dresses. Complete lines of the Arnold knit underwear. Children's best children's jackets, everything the little girl needs.

All dress goods remnants of 1 to 3 yards in plain colors, fancy plaids, brocades and novelty weaves at just one-half the regular yardage price.

COULTER DRY GOODS CO.,
317-325 South Broadway, between Third and Fourth, LOS ANGELES, CAL.

A Good Companion

To carry down with you through the years is a bank account. \$1.00 or more opens an account with the

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ALTHOUSE FRUIT CO.

Call up Main 398

And give your order for fruits and vegetables. There's enough at Althouse's so that you'll get a prompt answer. The fruits are so fine and the vegetables are so fine that every order is filled with the best—and delivered promptly. Yes, one more thing, you always get full weight.

213-215 W. Second St. Telephone FL 395.

SUPERIOR Steel Ranges, GASOLINE and OIL Stoves

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LOS ANGELES FURNITURE CO.

Winning Ideas From Our Drapery Stock.

One of our big windows gives you some hints—hints for your cushion cover, hints for re-covering your furniture, hints for your doorway.

You'll be taken with them, just as the East is; just as everyone is. They're so entirely new they give freshness to a room. Their beauty is catching. They are clever in design and the colorings go with any room.

And after all, it's only a hint of what our big drapery department can supply.

225, 227, 229 South Broadway. OPPOSITE CITY HALL.

Grape Fruit.

You're making a mistake if you're not buying it here! Ours is grown at Highlands by one that has made its culture his business—receives the best of cultivation on soil adapted to it—it has no equal.

Tel. 550 Ship Everywhere LUDWIG & MATTHEWS, Mott Market

We Furnish Houses....

Complete on Easy Payments. BRENT'S, 530-532 S. Spring St.

House Work is Hard Work without GOLD DUST.



is a nerve tonic and strength
taxed and weak digestion, a
builds up the system to resist
sold by druggists on a guarantee.

... recent arrivals at La
R. Blaseff and sons, and
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A. Cole, a mine owner of
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DISEASES OF MEN.

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Salvation Army Lass's Admirer in Trouble.

Arrested on Charge of Petty Larceny.

Memorial Services for the Late Queen Victoria—Notes and Personal.

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By the New Associated Press.

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PIE AND MADES.

Change of Food Brings Health and Brilliant Complexion.

When the human body is furnished with food which satisfies its demands, the desire for unnatural food, such as an excess of sweets, pie, cake and other unwholesome preparations, disappears. A California woman's experience on food is valuable.

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